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## SUPREME COURT UPHOLDS THE I.C.C.

Reversed Finding of Commerce Court Against Interstate Commission on Intermountain Rate Order

## LONG AND SHORT HAUL CLAUSE CONSTITUTIONAL

Decision Declares that Commission is by Statute Vested With Authority to Exercise Its Dscretion in Safeguarding Private and Public Interests - Lower Court Decided that Court Had No Authority to Issue "Blanket" or "Zone" Orders, but Could Act Only in Regard to Reasonableness or Unseasonableness of Specfic Rules.

The ground upon which the railroads

"long and short haul" clause was that water competition required the rail-

roads to carry commodities to the coast at an unreasonably low rate and that the rates proposed for the Intermountain cities were reasonable in themselves for the reasonable in

RELIGIOUS ORDER VALID.

VOWS OF POVERTY OF

DIFFERENTIAL FOR

Washington, June 22—The supreme court today declined to issue an injunction restraining the treasury department from granting the Cuban sugar, the twenty per cent. differential provided by treaty, in addition to the ne wreduced rates of the tariff law.

state of Louisiana, were not passed upon, however, and action in the cus-toms court was not precluded by the

Louisiana, as a planter of sugar cane on its convict farm, sought the in-unction. The state's attorney con-

law, wiped out the differential. At-toreny General McReynolds advised Secretary McAdoo that the differen-tial provided by the Cuban reciproci-ty treaty still prevailed despite the re-

The sureme court did not pass upon that but declined the injunction on the

WILL FIGHT RAILROADS FOR

Decision of Lower Court Reverse

Supreme Court Finding.

Washington, June 22—Doubt cast upon the validity of vows of poverty in many Catholic orders was removed

Washington, June 22.—The supreme court today reversed the commerce court and upheld the Intermountain rate order of the Interstate Commerce Contention of Railroads.

Chief Justice White first decided that Chief Justice White first decided that the long and short haul clause was constitutional. The commerce court had held that the commission could not make blanket or zone rates. That is the contention of those who are opposed to the five per cent, increase in freight rates now being asked by the eastern railroads.

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The zones selected by the commission were in substance the same as those previously fixed by the carriers, as the basis of the rate making which was included in the tariffs which were under investigation and therefore may put that subject out of view," said he.

Facts Sustained the Order. "Indeed except as questions of pow-er, there is no contention in the ar-gument as to the inequality of the ones or percentages or as to any un-lue preference or discrimination resulting from the action taken. But be this as it may, in view of the findings of the commission as to the sys-tem of rates prevailing in the tariffs which were before it, of the inequali-ties and burdens engendered by such system, of the possible aggrandize-ment unnaturally beyond the limits ment unnaturally beyond the limits produced by competition in favor of the competitive points and against other points by the tariff in question, facts which we accept and which indeed are unchallenged, we see no ground for saying that the order was not sustained by the facts upon which it was based or that it exceeded the powers which the statute conferred or transcended the limits of the sound legal discretion which it lodged in the commission when acting upon the subject before it."

Constitutionality of Clause.

"It is certain that the fundamental change which it makes is the omission of the substantially similar circum-stances and conditions clause, thereby stances and conditions clause, thereby leaving the long and short haul clause in a sense unqualified, except in so far as the section gives the right to the carrier to apply to the commission for authority to charge less for longer than for shorter distances for the transportation of persons or property, and gives the commission authority from time to time to prescribe the extent to which such designated common carriers may be relieved from the operation of this section.

"From the failure to insert any word in the amendment tending to exclude the operation of competition as adequate under proper circumstances to justify the awarding of relief from the long and short haul clause, and there being nothing which minimizes or changes the application of the preference and discriminations clauses of the second and third sections, it follows that in substance the amendment intrinsically states no new rule or provision but simply shifts the powers conferred by the section as it originally stood; that is, it takes from the carriess the deposit of public power previously lodged in them and vests it in the commission as a primary instead of as a reviewing function.

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"In other words, the elements of judgment or so to speak, the system of law by which judgment is to be controlled, remains unchanged, but a different tribunal is created for the antoscoment of the existing law.

"This being true, as we think it plainty is, the situation under the amendment is: power in the carrier primarily to meet competitive conditions in any point of view by charging a lesser rate for a longer than for a shorter haul, has ceased to exist because to do so, in the absence of some authority would not only be inlimical to the provision of the fourth section, but would be in condict with the preference and discrimination clauses of the second and third sections.

Rights of Carriers Defined.

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But, while the public power so to speak, previously lodged in the carrier is thus withdrawn and reposed in the commission, the right of carriers to seek and obtain, under authorized circumstances, the sanction of the commission to charge a higher rate for a longer than for a shorter haul because of competition or for other adequate reasons, is expressly preserved and if not, is in any event, by necessary implication, granted.

vate and Public Interests.

"And as a correlative, the authority of the commission to grant, on request, the rights sought, is made by the statute to depend upon the facts established and the judgment of that body in the exercise of a sound, legal discretion as to whether the request should be granted compatibly with a due consideration of the private and public interests concerned and in view of the preference and discrimination elauses of the second and third sec-

Ruling That Has Been Sustained.

The commission refused to let the gallroads charge a higher rate to the protesting cities, than was charged to points beyond them, on shipments originating wast of a line that would you north and south through St. Paul, Minn., but on shipments originating between St. Paul and Chicago, the railreads were permitted to charge an increase of not more than seven percent; on shipments originating between Chicago and Pittsburgh and the Atlantic, not more than 25 per cent. The commerce court set aside the orders on the ground that the commission had no authority to issue "blanks" erders or "sone" orders, but could

Cabled Paragraphs

Mrs. Alice Howard Dead.
London, June 22.—Mrs. Alice Howard, widow of Bronson Howard, the famous American playwright, who died in 1908, and sister of Sir Charles Wyndham, the English actor, died here on Saturday.

Income Tax on Foreign Stocks. Paris, June 22.—The French government today issued regulations under which a tax of 5 per cent, is to be collected upon income received in France from foreign stocks, bonds and securities of whatever form, including government bonds. The regulations go into force on July 1.

MISSING FILIPINO SERVANT SAFE IN MEXICO CITY Disappeared While in Employ of Captain Rush of Battleship Florida.

Mexico City, June 22.—Gregorio Alcarez, the Filipino servant of Captain Rush of the United States hattleship Florida, for whom the state department at Washington instituted a search, has been found. He walked into the Brazilian legation today and introduced himself to the minister. The Filipino showed no signs of ill treatment. Alcarez said he was released from the Santiago military prison on June 9, when at the invitation of a fellow prisoner, a Mexican, he went to Tizapan, an inland village a few miles when at the invitation of a fellow prisoner, a Mexican, he went to Tizapan, an inland village a few miles from the capital. He remained there until this morning, when he read a newspaper account of the search for him. He then came to the city immediately. He said he did not know that the Brazillan minister had charge of American interests here and was told that there was no American consul in the city. As he had no money he was unable to return to Vera Cruz. Alcarez said he left Vera Cruz May 6 for the purpose of buying fruit for Captain Rush. On passing the Mexican lines he was arrested at Tejeira as a spy. He gave his right name, but did not reveal his connection with the United States navy. He was held at Tejeira until May 7, when he was taken to Paso del Macho, remaining there until May 9, when he was transferred to Cordoba.

The Filipino arrived in Mexico City in custody on May 19 and was confined in the barracks of the Twenty-ninth regiment. On May 15 he was removed to Santiago prison.

Alcarez said he was duly tried on the charge of being a spy for the Americans. The trial, he added, was a fair one, the judge explaining the points of law very carefully, as the Filipino konws little Spanish, only mountain cities were reasonable in themselves for the service performed.

Inasmuch as several western cities would not be able to compete with New York and Atlantic coast cities if New York alone enjoyed the low rates, the rallroads claimed a right by virtue of "market competition" to allow middle western cities to enjoy the same rates as New York.

a fair one, the judge explaining the points of law very carefully, as the Filipino konws little Spanish, only English and his native Tagalog dialect. The trial ended in his acquittal, the charge being not proved.

The judge at the trial, Alcarez said, expressed disapproval that the Filipino had been deprived of his money and of his Panama hat by the authorities at Tejeira. These later were returned. the decision of the United States cir-cuit court of appeals.

The lower court sitting in Minne-sota, held the vows void as against public policy on the ground that they did not permit a person making them ever to withdraw from the order. The supreme court today, speaking through Justice Hughes, announced that the lower court had fallen into error by not distinguishing between the re-ligious and civil nature of the vows. It was pointed out a person was per-During the trial Alcarez refused to reveal his connection with the Amer

It was pointed out a person was per-mitted under the organization of the orders to withdraw civilly, although ican navy, saying he had left Vera Cruz with the intention of looking for a house in Solsdad with the object of his withdrawal in a religious sense was a matter of conscience.

The case arose in the settlement of the estate of Father Augustin Wirth in charge of a church in Springfield, Minu, at the time of his death, desgetting married and living there. TESTIMONY BEING TAKEN IN EMPRESS OF IRELAND DISASTER

pite his vow to the Order of St. Ben-edict to possess no/property and to turn over to the order all his worldly In the presentation of the case to the court it was stated that the decision of the court below, if sustained would throw in doubt the title to millions of Quebec, June 22.—That neither Cap-tain Kendall of the Ill-fated Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Ireland nor Alfred Tuftenes, first officer of the Storstad, had indicated on maps the dollars worth of property now held by religious orders, particularly those of the Catholic Church, which had incorstorstad, had indicated on maps the same spot where a government investigator claims the shattered huli of the liner now lies, was the most important point of the testimony heard today by the Dominion commission investigating the collision. This developed when Captain Gagnon of the department of marine and fisheries was called upon to establish the position of the hull. perated into their regulations vows of

of the hull. of the hull.

Captain Gagnon first drew his record of the position of the Empress on the British admiralty map. It was then found that Captain Kendall and First Officer Tuftenes had used United States maps and that there was a discrepancy between the points they indicated as the resting spot of the liner and the point indicated by Captain Gagnon as her grave.

tain Gagnon as her grave.

Mr. Haight of counsel for the owners of the Storstad, in pointing out the ers of the Storstad, in pointing out the discrepancy, argued that he was of the opinion that the course of the Storstad, as given by her officers, would lead to the sunken liner. In reply to Chief Justice McLeod's comment that it was the contention of the owners of the Storstad that the Empress was moving at the time of the collision and that if such was the case it would have been possible for her to have moved some distance after she was struck, Mr. Haight sam that the fact that the passengers did not have time to dress and go on deck before the liner went down proved that she could not have gone more than a ship's tended that the 25 per cent. reduc-tion in sugar rates which became ef-fective in March under the Underwood not have gone more than a ship's

ground that the power of the secre-tary of the treasury was discretionary and not ministerial and that it would Steamship Arrivals. not instruct him how to proceed.

New York, June 22.—Steamer Prinz Fredrich Wilhelm, Bremen. New York, June 22.—Steamer Fred-erick VII, Copenhagen. Fishguard, June 22.—Steamer Maur-etania, New York for Liverpool. Gibraltar, June 22.—Steamer Saxo-ma, New York for Naples. London, June 22.—Steamer Minne-haha, New York.

Inding of Supreme Court of Tost Case Against Southern Pacific

Washington, June 22—Title of transcontinental railroads to some \$700.000,000 worth of petroleum land as against other private claimants was upheld today by the supreme court in a test suit brought by Edmund Burke of California against the Southern Pacific Railroad Company.

At the same time Justice Vandever, for the court stated that seemingly for fraud or error had for fraud or error had lt was made

It was made plain, however, that the rights of the plain, however, that the rights of the government were not involved in the case before the court and there was no mention of the recent suit brought by the government against the Southern Pacific to regain the very lands in county of the count

Government officials after the decision stated they would continue to press the suit.

Indicted For Shipping Bob Veal.

Besten, June 22.—The federal grand jury today handed down thirty indictments, nine of which were secret. Those announced included bills against John Hutchinson, Nelson Sanscomb and Richard Sanscomb, who were arrested at Behenectady, N. Y., charged with breaking and entering the postwith breaking and entering the post-office at Chariton Depot; and Frank C. Miller of Canaan, Conn., charged

Chinese Smuggler Pleads Guilty. Watertown, N. Y., June 22.—Lee Sam, or Lee Wee, on trial here all last week for violating the immigration laws in smuggling Chinese into this country from Canada pleaded guilty today after all the evidence had been submitted in the federal court. He will be sentenced later in the

Bremen.

Bergen, June 21.—Steamer Kristianf-jord, New York.

Christiansand. June 21.—Steamer Hellig Olaf, New York for Co-OBITUARY.

Earliss P. Avine.

New Haven, Conn., June 22.—Earliss P. Avine, one of the most prominent lawyers in this city, died at his home in Westville tonight, following a stroke of apoplexy which he suffered several weeks ago. He was 68 years old. He was graduated from Yale in the class of 1862.

Mr. Arvine was senior member of the firm of Avine, Beers and Woodruff, Governor Baldwin appeinted him a member of the state board of mediation and arbitration. He was president for several years of the New Haven Bar association and served on important committees of the American Bar association. His widow and two sons survive. Earliss P. Avine.

To Report Bill to Dissolve Railroads

MASSACHUSETTS LEGISLATIVE AMENDMENT TO HEPBURN RATE COMMITTE TO ACT THIS WEEK.

Pressure from Federal Authorities

and N. Y. N. H. & H.

Boston, June 22.—A bill to separate the Boston and Maine from the New York, New Haven and Hartford railthe legislature before the end of the week by the committee on railroads, it was announced at the close of a two-hours' conference between Governor Walsh and the committee late today. Under the terms of the proposed measure, known as the Fisher-Eillis bill, the state would retain the right to buy at any time the 51 per cent, of the Boston and Maine stock now held by the Boston Holding company for the New Haven. This stock, should the bill become a law, must be sold in the open market.

The agreement of the railroad com-

The agreement of the railroad committee to report promptly the Fisher-Ellis bill was hastened by word from Washington today that President Wilson and Attorney General McReynolds were agreed that the dissolution suit against the New Haven would go for-ward unless the state gave the holding company authority to sell its Boston and Maine stock. The committee last week reported a resolve to have the arilroad separation matter go over until next January pending an investi-gation by a recess committee.

May Be Some Amendments. While the committee was unanimous in agreeing to meet the wishes of the governor and the federal authorities, some of the members announced that they would reserve the right to offer amendments which, they said, were in-tended to perfect the bill and would

not alter its main purpose.

The bill follows the lines recommended by Governor Waish in his inthough asking that some action be taken towards settling the disposition of the stock in the possession of the holding company, objected to the provision by which the state could at any time gain control of the Boston and Maine. The governor, however, in-Maine. The governor, however, in-sisted that the state should retain the privilege of buying the stock for its own purposes whenever it saw fit.

PROVINCES IN CHINA

INUNDATED BY FLOOD. Thousands Compelled to Flee to Hills For Safety. g. June 22

Kwantung are inundated as a result of the flooding of the West river, which has risep seventy feet out of its banks. Thousands of natives who at first took refuse on the roofs of houses finally were compelled to flee to the hills for safety. The number of persons drowned is not known.

The parade ground in Wu Chow, a treaty port in the province of Kwangsi 150 miles west of Canton, is ten fact under water. The customs officials there and the members of the foreign staff are living on boats. The Chinese commissioner's house is covered by water, A house boat from Kweilin, capital of Kwangsi, sank and a Chinese official and the members of his family on board it were drowned.

his family on board it were drowned. AMERICAN CORPORATIONS MUST In Making Public Reports of Business or Be Outlawed.

London, June 22—American corporations whose stocks are sold in Great Britain must comply with British laws in making public reports of their business, or be outlawed from the protection of the courts under the terms of a bill which Major Archer-See has introduced in the house of commons. While this bill is entitled "Foreign Companies Control," it is aimed particularly at the United States and is designed, among other things, to give designed, among other things, to give their shareholders in American cor-porations a larger share of control in them and to compel them to give more information concerning their business to their British investors than they can be forced to do under existing can be forced to do under existing

The enactment of the bill into law is considered probable.

HEAVY RAINS CAUSE FLOODS IN ARKANSAS Railroad Traffic is Demoralized, and Many Cities Isolated.

Kansas City Mr., June 22—Dozens of creeks and rivers in northeastern Kansas today left their banks and flooded the surrounding country, as a result of the heaviest rains in years that suit of the heaviest rains in years that fell last night and early today.
Railroad traffic is demoralized four lines out of Atchison having anulied their trains. Every railway entering Leavenworth reported bridges out. Many towns are isolated.
Wires are down at many points. Whole wheat fields are swept away, corn damaged and much livestock lost.

Colonel Chaney to Represent Hartford. Hartford, Conn. , June 22-Colonel Hartford, Conn., June 22—Colonel Louis R. Cheney, former mayor of this city, will represent Hartford at the celebration of the one thousandth anniversary of the founding of the city of Hertford, England, during the latter part of this month and the first of July. He was elected a delegate at the meeting of the court of common council tonight.

New York, June 22—Theresa Faust, 17 year old girl who has been missing from her home in Schenectady for three weeks and who, the police there believed might have been the victim of the Mohawk River sack murder mystery, walked into a police station in Harlem tonight and anneunced herself. She said she ran away from home because she was unhappy.

Standard Oil Loses Pipe Line Fight

HELD TO BE VALID.

RETAINS RIGHT TO BUY ARE COMMON CARRIERS

Justice Holmes Points Out that the from Oil Monopoly-Two Dissenting Votes.

Washington, June 22.—Standard Oil lost its vigorously fought fight waged against government regulation of its pipe lines today when the supreme court upheld the validity of the amendment to the Hepburn rate law which declared oil pipe lines across state lines common carriers, subject to the authority of the interstate com-

The court exemi The court exempted from the opera-tion of the act the Uncle Sam O company, an independent, Chief Justice White and Justice McKenna dissenting from this action. Justice McKenna also vigorously attacked the constitutionality of the act.

Justice Holmes pointed out in announcing the majority's conclusion that the action was passed to relieve the

the action was passed to relieve the country from the monopoly of the Standard Oil company, and the mere fact that the Standard's pipe lines owned all the oil it transported did not take it out of the class of common carriers. He explained that in effect the Standard was carrying the oil of other producers, even if it did force them as a condition of transportation to sell the oil to it. Congress, the court declared, had the power to make corporations that were common carriers in fact become so in form.

BRYAN DEFENDS TREATY

WITH COLOMBIA Hopeful That Senate Will Ratify the Clause Containing Expression cere Regrets."

Washington, June 22.-Criticism the proposed treaty to settle the dif-ferences between the United States and Columbia over the separation of and Columbia over the separation of Panama brought a formal statement tonight from Secretary Bryan defending the clause which expresses "sincere regret" on the part of the United States that anything should have occurred to mar the friendly relations between the two countries. The expression "honest regret" Mr. Bryan said was used in the memorandum, drafted during the Taft administration, on which the present negotiations as well as those which had falled were based.

Despite opposition in the senate, Mr. Bryan was hopeful today that the treaty would be favorably reported and ratified. Members of the foreign relations committee expected that corrections are stated while a keeper.

Several islands in British New Guiana, have been devastated by earth-quake and storm. Hundreds of houses collapsed and many natives drowned.

Jacob C. Sotter, of Pottstown, Pa, head of the Sotter Brothers Boiler Works, died after an opeartion for appendicities. He left a fortune of \$1,000,000.

The National Red Cross Society has awarded to Miss Doris Lippmann, a girl scout of Savannah, a prize of fifty dollars for heroism in saving human life.

respondence in the archives of the state department bearing upon the treaty would reach the committee on Wednesday. It will be referred to a sub-committee and probably will sub-committee and probably will be

FORTY PERSONS INJURED

ON LAKE SHORE ROAD. Eastbound Limited Collided Work Train on Siding.

Sandusky, Ohio June 22.—Forty persons were injured, several probably fatally, when an east bound limited car on the Lake Shore Electric railroad collided with a work train stand-ing on a siding near here late today. Though officials of the road said tonight an investigation would have to be conducted before responsibility for the wreck was determined, several passengers expressed the opinion that the switch connecting the siding with the main track was open when the

OCEAN FLYING BOAT LAUNCHED AT LAKE KENKA. First Trial Trip Will Take Place This

Hammondsport, N. Y., June 23—The American, Rodman Wanamaker's fly-ing boat built for the purpose of ating boat built for the purpose of at-tempting a flight across th eAtlan-tic, was launched today at the flying camp on Lake Kenka. Miss Katherine Masson christened the vessel after reading a verse dedicated to it by Dr. A. E. Zahn of the Smithsonian Institution, Washington.

Glen H. Curtiss, designer and bullder of the machine and Lieutenant John Cyril Porte and George Hallet, the air pilots who will undertake the flight, participated in the ceremony. The trial trip was postponed until tomorrow because of threatening

MARINE IS MISSING Rumers of Sensational Nature Circu-

lated About His Disappearance. Vera Cruz, June 22.—A search has been in progress for the last 24 hours for a missing private of a marine outpost which has disappeared with his rifle. Various rumors of a sensational nature have been circulated regarding his disappearance. One report was to the effect that he had wandered beyond the American lines and had been lassooed by the federal outposts.

rumors concerning the man could be obtained at headquarters, where it was stated tonight that the man might show up tomorrow. Lacking confirmation the officers refused to

make public the marine's name.

House Exempts Labor Unions. Washington, June 22.—The house tonight again went on record for exempting labor unions from prosecution under the anti-trust laws. A
provision in the sundry civil appropriation bill, appropriating \$300,000.
000 for enforcements of the anti-trust
laws, was adopted after a sharp and
protracted political debate over the
provisional exempting labor and agriprovisional exempting labor and agri-cultural organizations.

Increased Pay For Naval Militia When

Condensed Telegrams

The Cuban gunboat Patricia, has ar-

John M. Holly, president of the bank La Crosse, Wis., died at his home of La Crosse, in Wisconsin.

Edwin Birley, a conductor on the rie, who has served 50 years, will re-

Edward Ketofwell, of Rochester, N Gertrude Schlessinger, of New York

fell under a trolley car and had two hands cut off. Militant suffragettes set fire to and destroyed the station and several adjoining buildings at Coedpoeth, Wales

mining town of Aspen, Colo., died at his home in Santa Monica, Cal., aged The body of F. F. Perry, a hermit, of Carthage, Miss., was found by the side of a road. In his pocket was

Miss Ellen Egan died at her home in New York. She served for 56 years in the home of Mrs. F. R. Lefferts as

Edward Collery, of New York, while playing in the street was run over by

cart and died later in the Harlent

E. Ryan, Canadian newsboy, who valking around the world, arrived in France. He has already covered

Luther S. Johnson, for more than fifty years a shoe manufacturer, of Lynn, died. He was born in Nahant 73 years ago.

Robert Wheeler, of Indiana, found a 20-pound grain pearl while working in the bed of a river. The value is estimated at \$1,000.

The plant of the American Agricul-tural Chemical Co., of Buffalo, N. Y. was destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at \$100,000.

Miles S. Rhodes, keeper of the jail in Mineola, L. I., was sentenced Sing Sing for eight years for or he committed while a keeper.

Miss Margaret Wilson, daughter of the President, will have charge of the section devoted to community music in the Social Center Magazine which will be published soon.

Scientists of note will be among the 6,000 followers of Aeschulypas who will flock to Atlantic City this week to attend the sixty-fifth annual session of the Medical Association.

The largest baby born in El Dorado County, Cal., within the memory of the oldest inhabitant arrived in the home of Mrs. H. H. Long, of Caldor. welghed twenty pounds. Robert Maheffy, of Emporia, Kan., was in the divorce court for the third time during the hearing of his sult for separation. He was married four times and is 82 years old.

A bronze cross of the American Cross of Honor has been awarded to Captain Richard Stockton of New Jer-sey, for heroism in rescuing E. Stock-

ton, his cousin, from drowning. Detectives tracing the \$85,000 which mysteriously disappeared from a safe deposit box in the vault of the Colon-ial Trust Co., of New York said they expected to recover the money by next

While repairing electric wires that were blown down by a storm, Thomas Howard, a lineman employed by the Richmond Light & Railway

"The Lord made me quit the force so that I could be used in his plan," says Deetrich, a Chicago policeman, who resigned his job to take up the pastorate of a little church in Lawn

The American Museum of Natural History will send out a party to search the fossil field at Agate, Nebraska, for specimens of the ancient Moropus, have existed about 1,500,000 years ago.

YACHT-CUP ASPIRANTS RESUME RACING TODAY

Three Contestants Will Cover

Greenwich, Conn., June 22.—Light airs and fair skies were predicted to-night for the resumption of racing off here tomorrow by the three aspirants for America's cup defense. The De-fiance, Resolute and Vanitie. The In-dian Harbor Yacht club will be the sporting host for the day and the start, as in previous contests for the yachts in the sound, will be off Great Captain's Island, only a mile or tow from the club house.

from the club house.

The regatta committee, headed by Richard A. Monks, has planned a triangular course of fifteen miles to be sailed twoce around.

The conditions will be the same as those that obtained during the earlier contests for the yachts in the sound. The start will be at 12.30 and the club has chartered a steamer for the accommodation of the members.

A large fleet of steam yachts and power boats were anchored tonight in various little harbors near Greenwich and it is expected that the spectator fleet temorrow will be one of the largest of the season.

Steamers Reported by Wireless.

New York, June 22.—Steamer Imperator, Hamburg for New York, signalled 1,230 miles east of Sandy Hook at noon. Dock late Wednesday or a. Imperator, Hamburg for New York at noon. Dock late Wednesday or a. Imperator, Hamburg for New York at noon. Dock late Wednesday or a. Imperator, Hamburg for New York at noon. Dock late Wednesday or a. Imperator, Hamburg for New York at noon. Dock late Wednesday or a. Imperator, Hamburg for New York at noon. Dock late Wednesday or a. Imperator, Hamburg for New York at noon. Dock late Wednesday or a. Imperator, Hamburg for New York signature at Williams college, was announced as the new principal of Phillips-Exeter academy at the closing exercises of the school today. He is a brother of Professor Bliss Perry of Harvard.

New Principal at Phillips-Exeter.

Exeter N. H., June 22.—Comptroller Downey of the treasury interpreting the milita act of February 16, 1914, decided today that officers and men of the naval militia were entitled to ten percent, additional pay when on duty under conditions where officers of the regular navy were allowed the additional pay.

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## **Mexican Warring Factions to Confer**

ARE SOON TO HOLD AN INFOR-MAL MEETING

MAY END CIVIL STRIFE

Constitutionalists Have Been vailed Upon to Meet Huerta Delegates With Object of Saving Mex ico from Further Spoliation

Niagara Falls, Ont., June 22.— Through the invitation of the United States government and the good offices of the three South American mediators, representatives of the two war-ring factions in Mexico—the consti-tutionalists and the Huerta govern-ment—soon will be brought face to face in an informal conference, dis-

tinct from the mediation proceedings.
To save Mexico from further spoliation and the possibility of a foreign
war, the constitutionalists apparently war, the constitutionalists apparently have been prevailed upon to meet their countrymen—the Huerta delegates—in a peace conference whose object shall be the ending of the civil strife which has divided Mexico in the last eighteen months. The belief is general that this plan stands an excellent chance of being carried to success if the recent differences between Generals Villa and Carranza are sufficiently composed to guarantee that the constitutionalist delegation may work without embar-

Arrangements Still in Formative State Arrangements for the meeting are as yet in a formative state. word on details has not come from Carranza, but it is the expectation tonight of the mediators, American and Huerta delegates that on tomorrow, or Wednesday at the latest, they will be able to announce not only the person-nel of the constitutionalist delegation but the place of the meeting and its general purposes.

The new plan has buoyed the hopes of the principals to mediation. The South American envoys discussed it briefly with the American delegates to-day and later had a conference with the Huerta delegates, who were for-mally asked if they would meet con-stitutionalist representatives. The Huerta delegates repiled that they were willing to enter any conference with their countrymen which had for its object the prevention of bloodshed and the destruction of property and which sought to establish a national government on a firm basis.

Conditions of Withdrawal from Vers Cruz,

The conversation between the mediators and the Huerta delegates then turned to such international questions as could be advanced in the absence of constitutionalists, particularly the conditions under which American forces satisfactory establishment of a new provisional government. The plan which the mediators have worked out is to confine the formal

mediation conferences to a considera-tion of international questions, treat-ing with the Huerta and American del-

ing with the Huerta and America on these points.

On internal questions the Huerta and constitutionalist delegates would be expected to confer alone. The mediators and the American delegates with the setbe expected to confer alone. The mediators and the American delegates thus would not interfere with the settlement of problems confined to the country, but they would lend their counsel whenever it would be helpful and, of course, point out under what conditions recognition would be extended.

with the constitutionalist and Huerta delegates discussing names for the provisional presidency and kindred internal questions, the mediators and American delegates would await the American delegates would await the outcome of their efforts before signing a final protocol. It has even been suggested that the mediators might take a short recess while the informal parietys between the constitutionalists and the Huerta delegates were in and the Huerta delegates were in

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Fernando Iglesias Calderon is expected to head the Carranza delegation. He is due in Washington tomorrow. There he will confer, it is believed, with Luis Cabrera, representative of General Carranza, with whom Minister Naon talked on his recent trip to Washington.

VIIIa Also Consulted.

Although there was no official announcement here, it was understood that Carranza, through Mr. Cabrera, had given his assent to the plan of holding conferences separate from the mediation and that the details were being worked out now by telegraph. There was a report current tonight that the United States had made inquiry privately from Villa as to whether the delegates being sent to the informal conferences represented the interests of the forces he controlled as well as those of Carranza. Reports that the split between Villa and Carranza extended only to the question of military control and left intact Carranza's authority to deal with foreign affairs have been generally credited here, but developments of the next few days probably will determine whether any hitch will be encountered on account of the estranged relations between the two.

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It is practically certain that no armistice will be declared by the constitutionalists until an agreement of a
definite character is reached in the
informal conferences as to the establishment of the provisional government.

Washington Pleased With New Plan.

Washington, June 21.—Officials of the Washington government whose hopes for peace in Mexico had been somewhat dampened by the events of the past week were wearing hopeful smiles again today when the announcement came from Niagara Falls that the United States had extended an invitation to representatives of the Mexican constitutionalists to meet the American and Huerta delegates to the mediation conference for an informal discussion of peace proposals. Washington Pleased With New Plan.

Mexico City June 22.—An extraordinary session of congress opened today and organization was completed, but no other business was transacted. The Japanese minister, Minelchiro Adachi, and the flag licutement of the cruiser Idaumo paid a visit of contest to President Huerta and the ministers of foreign affilialits, war and the interior today.